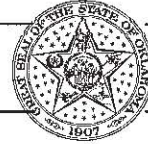


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**RE: CORRECTIONS TO USF CERTIFICATION LETTER**

**CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 10-90, Certification of Proper Use of Federal Universal Service Funds by Rural Carriers and/or Eligible Telecommunications Carriers**

This letter is being submitted in order to facilitate specific corrections to the certification letter filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314 electronically earlier this same date. These corrections accomplish these two changes:

- 1) Correct the Study Area Code (SAC) for Oklahoma Telephone and Telegraph, Inc. to appropriately read 432013
- 2) Correct the categorization of Valor Telecommunications of Texas, LP d/b/a Windstream Communications Southwest from Non-Rural ILEC to Rural ILEC

These are the only corrections being made and do not change or alter in any other way the certification information contained in the previously provided certification letter. Nonetheless, the following is the full recitation of the certification in order to ensure proper treatment.

This letter is submitted pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, which requires state certification of the use of federal universal service funds as a prerequisite for continued receipt of funding by rural incumbent local exchange carriers and / or eligible telecommunications carriers. The Oklahoma Corporation Commission

("OCC") governs local services and rates in Oklahoma and is the appropriate authority to issue certification under §54.314.

Each eligible telecommunications carrier operating in Oklahoma included in the attached "*Oklahoma Corporation Commission USF State Certification*" list has provided the OCC with an affidavit signed by a corporate officer, that includes a sworn statement affirming that, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §54.314, all federal high-cost support and CAF support received by that Oklahoma company was used in the preceding calendar year (2012) and will be used in the new calendar year (2014) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities capable of delivering voice and broadband services to homes, businesses and community anchor institutions for which the support is intended, regardless of the rule under which that support is provided.

The OCC certifies that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, all federal high-cost and CAF support received by such eligible telecommunications carriers operating in Oklahoma (see attached list) was used in the preceding calendar year (2012) and will be used in the coming calendar year (2014) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities capable of delivering voice and broadband services to homes, businesses and community anchor institutions for which the support is intended, regardless of the rule under which that support is provided.

Certification herein does not preclude the OCC from reviewing how any eligible carrier has employed its federal universal service funds and ordering that the use of funds comply with OCC directives or policies. Certification is based on the best data available at this time. Certification herein does not bind the OCC in future or pending cases. The OCC reserves the right to conclude that a company should use its universal service funding differently than it does today or in the future.

The OCC believes that this certification complies with the Federal Communications Commission requirement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the extra copy of this letter and returning it in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

If you have any questions, please contact Mark Argenbright, Senior Regulatory Analyst, at 405.522.3378 or email at [m.argenbright@occemail.com](mailto:m.argenbright@occemail.com).



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Oklahoma Corporation Commission Certification of Rural Eligible Telecommunications Carriers  
and / or Eligible Telecommunications Carriers in Oklahoma:

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USF State Certification**

RURAL ILECs	
COMPANY NAME	STUDY AREA CODE(S)
Atlas Telephone Company	431966
Beggs Telephone Company	431968
Bixby Telephone Company	431969
Canadian Valley Telephone Company	431974
Carnegie Telephone Company	431976
Central Oklahoma Telephone Company	431977
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC. d/b/a CenturyLink (Siloam Springs)	401143
Cherokee Telephone Company	431979
Chickasaw Telephone Company	431980
Chouteau Telephone Company d/b/a FairPoint Communications	431981
Cimarron Telephone Company	431982
Cross Telephone Company	431985
Dobson Telephone Company	431988
Elkhart Telephone Company, Inc.	411764
Grand Telephone Company, Inc.	431994
Hinton Telephone Company, Inc.	431995
KanOkla Telephone Association, Inc.	431788
McCloud Telephone Company	432006
Medicine Park Telephone Company	432008
Mid-America Telephone Company	432010
Oklahoma Communication System, Inc.	431984
Oklahoma Telephone and Telegraph, Inc	432013
Oklahoma Western Telephone Company	432014
Oklahoma Windstream, LLC (f/k/a Oklahoma Alltel)	432011
Panhandle Telephone Cooperative, Inc	432016
Pine Telephone Telephone Company, Inc.	432017
Pinnacle Communications (f/k/a Lavaca Telephone Co.)	431704
Pioneer Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432018
Pottawatomie Telephone Company	432020
Salina-Spavinaw Telephone Company, Inc.	432022
Santa Rosa Telephone Cooperative, Inc	432141
Shidler Telephone Company	432023
South Central Telephone Association, Inc.	431831
Southwest Oklahoma Telephone Company	432025
Terral Telephone Company	432029
Totah Communications, Inc.	432030
Valliant Telephone Company	432032
Valor Telecommunications of Texas, LP d/b/a Windstream Communications Southwest	431165
Windstream Oklahoma, LLC. f/k/a Alltel Oklahoma	431965
Wyandotte Telephone Company	432034

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(continued)

<b>NON-RURAL ILECs</b>	
<b>COMPANY NAME</b>	<b>STUDY AREA CODE(S)</b>
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Oklahoma	435215

<b>CETC DESIGNATED</b>	
<b>COMPANY NAME</b>	<b>STUDY AREA CODE(S)</b>
Budget PrePay, Inc. (f/k/a Budget Phone, Inc.)	439016
Cellular Network Partnership d/b/a Pioneer Enid Cellular	439031 / 439013
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink (Russellville)	401142
Cox Oklahoma Telcom, LLC.	439003
Cross-Valliant Cellular Partnership	439019
Cross Wireless, LLC. d/b/a Sprocket Wireless, LLC.	439017
Epic Touch Co.	439011
Oklahoma Western Telephone Co. d/b/a OWTC Cellular d/b/a Phoenix Communications Systems	439024
Panhandle Telecommunications Systems, Inc.	439008
Pine Cellular Phones, Inc.	439012
Sage Telecom, Inc.	439002
U.S. Cellular Corporation	439004
UT Phone, Inc.	439021